

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Zheng J. Li, et al. \_\_\_\_\_ :

APPLICATION NO.: 10/652,933 : Examiner: Elli Peselev

FILING DATE: August 28, 2003 : Group Art Unit: 1623

TITLE: CRYSTAL FORMS OF AZITHROMYCIN \_\_\_\_\_ :

Mail Stop Amendment  
Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In full response to the Office Action dated August 16, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following remarks.

A response to the August 16, 2006 Office Action is due prior to November 16, 2006. Therefore, the present Response is being timely filed.